

**Miss Thomas  
President of  
Bryn Mawr**

Of women leaders in the educational world, one of the most gifted is the president of Bryn Mawr College, Miss

M. Carey Thomas, a likeness of whom (after a striking portrait by John M. Sargeant) is reproduced herewith. Miss Thomas was born in Baltimore in 1857. She graduated at Cornell in 1877, and during the next year studied at Johns Hopkins University. From 1879 to 1883 she continued her studies at

Leipzig, and in the latter year was granted the degree of Ph.D. by the University of Zurich. She was appointed Professor of English at Bryn Mawr in 1885, from 1885 to 1894 was dean, and in that year was chosen president of the college. From 1895 to 1899 she served as one of the trustees of Cornell.

Miss Thomas is a firm advocate of what she considers the legitimate ambitions of women. One of her most forceful utterances is her recent arraignment of medical faculties and physicians in general, for what she regards unfair and persistent discrimination against

women who are endeavoring to fit themselves for that profession. The telling points of this arraignment are presented in the pages of this issue devoted to "Medical Questions of Popular Interest."



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